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For: **SLIDING PATELLAR PROSTHESIS**

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Enclosed are:

1. Specification of 38 pages including 8 pages of claims
2. 15 sheets of Formal Drawings (2 sets)
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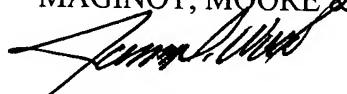
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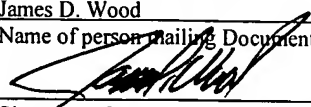
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